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ROGER BARRETT

Christmas 1932

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New Years 1933

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J. V. Berscht and Staff

Knox United Ladies Aid Holds Annual Meeting

The Ladies Aid of Knox United Church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Tingle last Thursday.

The secretary reported that the work of the Ladies Aid during the past year had been very satisfactory and that the bazaar which was held the latter part of November had been very successful.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. A. J. Mitchell, honorary president; Mrs. E. G. Ranton, president; Mrs. H. Pearson, secretary and Mrs. S. Tingle, treasurer.

Eastern Star Elect Officers For 1933

The officers of St. Hilda's Chapter O.E.S. were elected at their meeting held Wednesday last:

W.M.: Sister E. Hughes.
W.P.: Brother C. Wrightson.
A.M.: Sister D. Edwards.
A.P.: Brother J. Fleury.
Conductress: Sister O. Baerman.
Associate Con.: Sister H. McGhee.
Secretary: Sister A. Wrightson.
Treasurer: Sister L. Fisher.

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thurlow were Calgary visitors Saturday.

Messrs. Hugh Lee and G. McKenzie-Grievie visited the southern city last week-end.

Mr. Alvin Ennor, of Vulcan, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marcolius this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McGhee visited friends in the southern city over the week-end.

Miss Annie Currie entertained a number of the younger set at a bridge party Friday evening last. A very enjoyable time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Durrer entertained at an oldtime dance Friday evening last. A most pleasant and enjoyable time was had by all.

Saturday Night Dances at the Carstairs Masonic Hall every Saturday. Bellamy orchestra. A good time always. 30 cents.

FINAL day for points in the Pony Contest—Friday. All points must be in by 6 p.m. Saturday. Pony will be given away 8 p.m. Saturday.

"The Spider," the magician of human emotions, will again be shown at the Opera House this Saturday. Something new in the way of films. Full of thrills and magic.

Mrs. Ranton visited at Innisfail on Saturday and returned Sunday accompanied by her daughter, Miss Dorothy, who has been relieving at the Innisfail telephone exchange.

Misses Marie and Edith Chambers entertained the Business Girls Club at the Opera House on Monday, December 26th, at bridge on Tuesday of last week. Miss Mildred Lowrie and Miss Laura Smith were the prize winners.

Harold Lloyd in "Movie Crazy" at the Opera House on Friday and Saturday, December 30 and 31. Matinee on Saturday at 3 p.m. This is a 4-reel picture by this leading comedian.

December 26th and January 2nd have been declared holidays by the postal department. The post office will only be open to boxholders on these dates, when the mail will be received and dispatched as usual. No rural mail will be delivered on these holiday dates.

"Over The Hill" is the title of the special feature picture at the Opera House on Monday, December 26th. This old favorite will be shown at both the matinee and evening performance. Janet Gaynor and Chas. Farrell are the stars. A dance will follow the evening show. Another special attraction for Monday, Jan. 2nd. Watch the posters for performances. Dance to follow.

Cream Shippers Meet Calgary City Council

The committee appointed by the table cream shippers of this district appeared before the Calgary city council to present a largely signed petition protesting against the regulations laid down in the by-law respecting milk and cream shipped into Calgary for consumption in that city.

The delegation received a very sympathetic hearing from the council, and the matter was referred back to the medical health officer for reconsideration. That officer will probably make an investigation into conditions in this district and report back to the council.

It was stated that if the by-law is enforced there will be an inspection of barns every two weeks.

Lady Curlers Organize.

The lady curlers met at the rink Saturday afternoon to organize, elect ships and choose rinks for the season. Mrs. Evans was elected president and Mrs. Fleury secretary.

The following rinks were chosen: Mrs. Evans, skip. Mrs. Fleury, Miss Lucille Smith, Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Ranton, skip. Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Elder, Mrs. Cundy.
Mrs. Geiger, skip. Miss Clements, Miss Ellen McMon, Mrs. Julien, Miss Florence Reiber, skip. Mrs. J. Caithness, Mrs. Keith, Mrs. McGhee.

A few games will be played between now and New Years, but the regular schedule will be arranged early in January.

December 26th And January 2nd Are Holidays

Monday, Dec. 26th and Monday, January 2nd are statutory and public holidays and will be observed as such.

The law provides that when Christmas Day and New Year's Day fall on a Sunday, the Monday following must be observed as a holiday. All stores and other business houses will therefore be closed on the days in question.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

"God grant you Merry Christmas, kind friends to cheer, and a heart that knows no fear."

Masons Elect New Officers

At the meeting of King Hiram Lodge, A.F. and A.M., held last week, the following officers were elected:

W.M., Brother Geo. Burns.
S.W., Brother C. Mortimer.
J.W., Bro. T. G. Johnson.
Treasurer, Brother G. H. Liesemer.
Secretary, Brother H. Morgan.
Tyler, Brother S. Franklin.

W. Bro. J. L. Clarke was elected representative to the Grand Lodge Benevolent.

The installation of officers will be held Tuesday, December 27th.

Mr. Harry A. Pearson Passes Away Suddenly

The death of Mr. Harry A. Pearson, which occurred Monday, saw the passing of one of the best known characters east of town.

Mr. Pearson had been indisposed for the 10th for about three weeks, but was thought to have recovered. On Monday evening he had done his chores and was sitting in his chair in the house when he passed away. He was found by Mr. Herman Olson, who had resided with him for several years.

Harry A. Pearson was born in Ontario 75 years ago. When a young man he came west to Manitoba, where he resided for 21 years, and came to the Didsbury district 28 years ago. He never married, and had resided on his homestead east of town ever since coming to the district.

At the time of going to press, no funeral arrangements had been made.

With Best Wishes for

A Merry Christmas and A Prosperous New Year!

May our pleasant relations of the past become more friendly in the future.

J. Caithness

A Very Merry Christmas and a Most Prosperous New Year

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Municipal and school board elections are over for another year throughout Canada's western provinces. Reports indicate that, generally speaking, the elections this year were contested with a vigor surpassing that which usually characterized such contests. This, no doubt, is but another result of the difficult and critical times through which the world is passing, the inevitable outcome of which is discontent, dissatisfaction with whatever is done, no matter what its nature may be, or who may be responsible for the doing of it. Another factor accounting for the keenness of many contests was the entry of a political party in Provincial and Federal affairs into the realm of municipal affairs, thus introducing a new element, and in some cases a new lateness. Into municipal and school board elections.

It is no doubt true that at no time can men and women, clothed with responsibility by their fellow citizens to direct public policies and manage public affairs, please all classes. No matter what they may do, or may leave undone, certain people will be dissatisfied. This, however, is especially true at a time like the present when all governing bodies are confronted with the two-fold task in exercising the strictest economy on the one hand, and of being faced with the necessity of making extraordinary expenditures on the other hand. Both these things must be done, the first because of falling revenues resulting from the inability of many people to pay taxes, and the second because prevailing conditions make it obligatory to provide work or relief for countless numbers of people. The result is a demand for more and more so-called "free" services on the part of governments, for people who have not the means to obtain these services for themselves, at a time when governments cannot possibly get the money to pay for the advertised "free" services.

Dissatisfaction and discontent, ending in unreasonableness on the part of many, is the inevitable result. Those things which many people are demanding, if granted, mean the imposition of still heavier burdens on others who are making a valiant struggle to keep their own heads above water and not become charges on the community. Those whom the citizenship made responsible for administration of public policies and affairs thus found themselves between two fires, and with their hands tied financially, making it impossible for them to do many of the things they undoubtedly would have been glad to do were it only possible.

Some experienced and conscientious public servants have, as a result of this general dissatisfaction, been defeated, their places on public bodies being taken by others, some of whom, again, have captured the popular fancy and support as the result of more or less sweeping promises which they will soon discover they, too, with all the best intention in the world, will be unable to fulfill.

Service on municipal councils, school boards, and other public bodies is, at best and under the most favorable circumstances, a more or less thankless task, while under present prevailing adverse conditions it is even more so, inviting, as it does, little but abuse, misrepresentation of motives and acts, and loss of whatever popularity a person may have possessed. Such service also involves no small sacrifice on the part of the person accepting public office. In these days it requires every moment of one's time and energies to keep their own personal business matters in solvent shape, neglect of them means disaster.

But service on public bodies is a public duty. It is a duty that must be discharged by some one, and those who are willing to make the sacrifice are deserving of the thanks and grateful regard of their fellow citizens, regardless of the fact that their every act may not meet with approval.

Therefore, now that the smoke of our municipal and school board battles has floated away, now that the decisions of the majority have been rendered, it behooves all citizens of good will, and loyal to the democratic institutions of this country, to get behind their representatives whoever they may be, and irrespective of the fact whether they were their personal choice or not, give them a helping hand. Let carping criticism now cease. Let all personalities be forgotten. Rather, let our men and all stand united in support of their elected representatives and work harmoniously together with one single purpose of doing the best possible under existing circumstances, helping each other, and thereby helping all.

And in so doing greater consideration may well be given to this important fact which too many people are rather inclined in these troublous days to forget, namely, that more can be learned from the experiences of the past than from all the best books of theories or the idealistic visions of inexperienced and untutored visionaries. What is good in the past we should retain, while that which, through experience, we have learned to be weak and faulty should be rejected or disregarded, being substituted by what that same experience has shown to be needed, rather than to invoke some purely theoretical idea which, when put to the test of practical operation, is more likely than not to find us in a deeper morass than the one from which we are striving to extricate ourselves.

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Was So Short of Breath Could Not Lie Down to Sleep

Max T. J. Chernoff, Business, Etc., writes: "I had been so troubled with shortness of breath I could not lie down to sleep. I couldn't do any hard work, or climb the stairs, and had nervous and smothering feelings, and became very weak. I tried all kinds of medicine, but could get no relief until after I had taken three boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and since then I have felt better in every way."

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Woman Is Honored By French Legion

Old Tradition Has Been Shattered For Second Time

An old tradition which dates back to Napoleon and which kept French women from rising in grade in the Legion of Honor has been shattered by the award of the rank of Commander of the Legion to a woman, for the second time in history.

Mme. Philippe de Vilmorin, millionaire business woman and one of the world's greatest dealers in seeds and grains, has been promoted from Officer to Commander, joining in that rank Comtesse de Noulles, perhaps, the only other woman Commander in the Legion's history.

The promotion came in the distribution of 600 ribbons and rosettes of the Legion of Honor to reward services rendered towards the success of the Colonial Exposition, Madame de Vilmorin had created the floral decoration of the exposition grounds.

Widowed during the war, Mme. de Vilmorin left the front, where she had won citations as a war nurse, and took charge of the 200-year-old grain firm.

She travelled through Africa, Indo-China, Java, Egypt, Australia and the Orient, to select and improve the seeds of tobacco, rice, coffee, peanuts, and other colonial crops. She operates extensive laboratories and largely was responsible for saving the French cut-flower industry from ruinous Dutch and Italian competition.

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Shanghai Has German Paper

City Now Boasts Wide Variety In Daily Newspapers

Into the label of Shanghai's already complex newspaper world still another foreign language daily has made its debut. It is the German language Deutsches Shanghai Zeitung. Perhaps no other city in the world boasts of so many different kinds of daily papers.

Published in the English language there is the old established English journal, the North China Daily News, so-called because at its founding most foreigners lived in Canton, to which Shanghai was then North China, although it is far from that geographically speaking. Two American dailies, the China Press in the morning and the Shanghai Evening Post and Mercury, an afternoon paper, vie with the third, the Shanghai Times, which has an English editor, although it is not of that nationality as to capital.

An excellent protection against worms can be got in Miller's Worm Powders. They render the stomach and intestines unpalatable to them. They heal the surfaces that have been inflamed by the attacks of the parasites and serve to restore the strength of the child that has been undermined by the draughts that the worms have made upon it, and their operation is altogether health-giving.

Trap For Smugglers

"Wall Of Invisible Rays" On Germany's Western Frontier

An invisible wall which nobody can penetrate, unnoted, will soon be erected at certain points of Germany's western frontier as the latest device against smugglers.

It is a "wall of invisible rays" which cannot be seen or felt, but which penetrates this wall starts an alarm in the Customs office. There no inspector promptly announces the spot where the intruder has crossed the frontier. A special device informs the officers of "blind alarms" by hares, dogs or deer.

Plan Is Hardly Feasible

The National Railway Construction Federation has submitted a plan to the ministry of railways to convert the ancient Great Wall of China into a system of motor highways, but it is hard for outsiders to conjecture such a motor road. For hundreds of miles the Wall climbs over mountain peaks.

For you and your pipe



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Bidding For Foreign Markets

Germany Plans To Send Out Floating Industrial "Fair"

In an endeavour to regain some of the foreign markets Germany lost as a result of the world war, an association of German manufacturers of Hagen, Westphalia, plan to send out a floating industrial "fair" early next year on a trade crusade to South America and the Far East, according to commerce department advice from Consul J. H. Bruins at Hamburg.

The 14,000-ton Hamburg-South American liner S.S. Cap. Norte has been chartered for the "fair." It will visit more than 70 foreign ports of the world, leaving Hamburg or Bremen shortly after the first of the year and remaining away 18 months. "It will sail first to South American ports, later visiting British East India, China and Japan," the consul's report said.

The "Floating Fair" has been so organized that even small firms may take part in this piece of practical trade promotion. It will offer for sale and will exhibit a great range of German industrial products, especially hardware and tools.

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No Place For Candy Shop

New Orleans Woman Would Open Store In Alhambra

In New Orleans, La., a certain woman is thirsting for knowledge of Canada's far north. She also seeks knowledge of the Dominion's currency.

The woman, whose name was not revealed, wrote a tourist agency at Calgary for the information as she apparently wanted to open a store in Alhambra, which rests in Canada's bleak sub-Arctic.

The agency, however, told her there were no railroads to the shore coast of the Arctic ocean and that it would be doubtful if the candy and medicine business would be very profitable in that district. They also told her Canadian money was in dollars and cents, not pounds and shillings as she believed.

Auntie Up-To-Date

A young man who had spent a week-end motoring was retelling his experience to an elderly aunt.

"It was a jolly change except on one occasion when I encountered a dump inn," he said.

"Oh!" said the aunt severely, "I presume — or — pin went through one of your tires?"

Insect pests destroy enough food plants in the British Empire alone to feed 45,000,000 people.

Reproduction Of Old Temple

took Centuries To Build But Duplicate Took Sixty Days

The Chicago World's Fair breaks ground for the great Maya temple that is to be a dominating feature. It reproduces the temple at Uxmal Yucatan, built more than 1,600 years ago by the most enlightened aborigines of North America. The original was generations in building, the duplicate goes up in 60 days. With electric cutting tools the grotesque head of a Mayan god can be turned out in a few hours; but the original Maya, who did not even know how to harden copper spent a lifetime in bringing a face or a column into form. This temple alone will serve all the ends of the world's fair — it will be a psalm of the rise of man. — Christian Science Monitor.

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Many Methods Used

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CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIPS

W. N. U. 1911

Good Progress Being Made With History Of The World War Now Being Compiled In Britain

With twenty-nine of the probable forty volumes of its history of the world war now completed, Great Britain is well ahead of all the other belligerent powers in the preparation of an official story of the events of the years 1914-1918 for the benefit of the living as well as of posterity. It is thought that the last volume will be ready twenty years hence, but that is really more of a guess than a certainty.

From the historical section of the committee of Imperial Defence, under whose aegis Britain's comprehensive memorial of the past and guide for the future is being prepared, this correspondent has just obtained a detailed account of how this herculean task is being handled. So far it has cost 200,000 pounds sterling, though that includes the cost of archival work which would have to be done anyway.

Of the histories completed there are: Naval Operations, 5 volumes; Merchant Navy, 3; Sea-Borne Trade, 3; Gallipoli Campaign, 2; Egypt, Palestine, 2; Mesopotamia, 4, and Togoland and Cameroons, 1. In addition to these 20 volumes there have also been issued five of the contemplated twelve dealing with the western front, three of the five dealing with the war in the air, and one in diary form entitled "Principal Events of the War."

At the outset of the war the British sea service numbered 649 vessels of all kinds. But by November, 1918, this force had been increased to 5,081. Each unit kept exact records of the events and movements of every hour of the day in their logs, which never numbered fewer than six in current use, and often as many as fourteen in a flagship.

It is estimated that the total number of naval logs kept during the war approached 1,250,000. But before the preparation of narratives of the major actions recourse is not had to these original documents, for the salient points in each have been entered on cards for more easy reference. It has to be remembered, too, that telegrams passing in and out of the admiralty amounted to at least 1,000 daily, or 1,750,000 during the war. There were, besides, countless reports and Admiralty papers.

The records of the air service are only less formidable than those of the admiralty.

This vast mass of material at the disposal of the official historians has to be arranged and sifted by a staff of archival experts, one of whose tasks is to discard tons of papers dealing with matters of no permanent historical importance.

The authors appointed have the assistance of a small staff of technical specialists, including cartographers. The forty-volume history will be illustrated by hundreds of maps, plans, diagrams, sketches and charts, apart from photographs of the outer theatres of war without which it would be almost impossible to visualize the types of country in which the operations took place.

When once the narrative is committed to paper in chapter form it undergoes the minutest checking. Hundreds of copies are dispatched to officers who took part in the particular action dealt with, and after their criticisms and suggestions have been considered and, in many instances, adopted, the chapters are forwarded to the appropriate service department for remarks. In one instance a chapter was submitted to 575 officers.

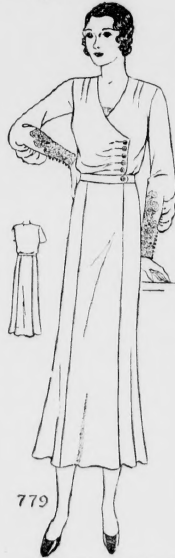
No other belligerent nation, it is asserted, can show such progress with their histories, although many are said to employ far larger staffs at much greater cost. Those who catch at the cost of the work are reminded that to date the expenditure represents, roughly, half an hour's expenditure by the British in warfare during the last year of the conflict. Besides producing this colossal war story, the historical section has to deal with thousands of inquiries from other department, regimental historians, staff colleges and the war graves

commission, many of which require protected reference to the records. The circulation of draft chapters of the history entails alone the writing of 4,000 letters.

It was explained to this correspondent that even in 1914 steps were taken to collect and arrange the subsequent compilation of the official histories, and the actual writing was begun in 1916. The number of records which have to be consulted is stupendous. On the military side alone the historians have immediately at hand at least 30,000,000 sheets of documents and 55,000 maps. All of these are from the theatre of operations and do not include any of the multitude of "home" papers, such as war office files and the untold accumulation of other records.



By Ruth Rogers



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Specialist Declares Tuberculosis Curable

Sufferers Can Hope, For He Himself Has Recovered

Tuberculosis is a curable disease, visiting doctors were told by Dr. Frank Miller, of Los Angeles, a specialist in lung diseases, speaking before the Southwest Clinical Conference at Kansas City.

Dr. Miller said he spoke from experience when he told victims of this disease to look into the future with hope, as he himself has been cured of the disease.

The great majority of cases were amenable to treatment, he said, if the patient is willing to submit to the necessary treatment and to live carefully. And moreover, he declared, persons who have been pronounced cured of the disease are doing as good risks, if not better, for life insurance companies than other persons. This Dr. Miller said, was because once having been stricken by poor health, they have learned how to care for themselves, and will not subject their bodies to the strains other persons will.

Dr. Miller does not put considerable stress on the supposed hereditary nature of the disease.

"Fifty per cent. of all persons have some kind of tuberculosis infection," he said, "but only about one-third of these ever become clinical cases."

The most important aid to successful treatment, the doctor said, was the early recognition of the symptoms, and prompt systematic treatment.

After once having been cured a person may live wherever he pleases, Dr. Miller said.

Famous Cow Path

Valuable Property In Chicago Can Be Used For No Other Purpose

A cow and her calf actually went down the world's most famous cow path in Chicago recently.

While puzzled citizens wondered what it was all about, how and how offspring posed for photographers in the concrete-paved path under a skyscraper at 100 West Monroe Street. The cow and the calf did their stunt to advertise the International Livestock Exposition.

This path is 177 feet long, 10 feet wide, and worth \$177,000.

When William Jones sold the surrounding tract in 1833, he reserved the right to use the path for his cows. He made his reservations so binding that the path remains, even though no cow had used it for 50 years. A 22-story building is on the site, utilizing air rights above the path.

A rainbow is a "rain circle" is seen from an airplane.

Tree Planting Car Of The Canadian Forestry Association Completes Season's Work

Completing its season's work which during the past six months has taken it over 1,900 miles on the Canadian Pacific Railway Lines, in both Alberta and Saskatchewan, the tree planting car of the Canadian Forestry Association arrived in Regina recently, where the car will remain for the winter months.

Travelling over a large area of both southern Alberta and Saskatchewan, the car visited large districts where nature has not been kind during the past three, and even four years, others where conditions have been better. In fact stops were made in all kinds. At every meeting held during the year, the increased interest being taken in tree planting, and home beautification, was most noticeable, stated Alan Beaven, in charge of the car. In Alberta the car visited 43 towns, held 85 meetings to 11,890 people. The tour in Saskatchewan covered a longer period, 90 towns being visited, 214 meetings held, with a total of 30,214 attending. The total number who were present for lectures was 41,004, and this exceeds by a large number, the record of any previous year. The tour in Saskatchewan covered a longer period, 90 towns being visited, 214 meetings held, with a total of 30,214 attending. The total number who were present for lectures was 41,004, and this exceeds by a large number, the record of any previous year. The tour in Saskatchewan covered a longer period, 90 towns being visited, 214 meetings held, with a total of 30,214 attending. The total number who were present for lectures was 41,004, and this exceeds by a large number, the record of any previous year.

A most encouraging feature, is the increase in interest amongst the younger people. Without doubt they are becoming tree conscious. This promises a great deal for the future success of tree planting. Many of them called at the car, and others remained after the lecture, to ask questions and secure information on many phases of the work. A few years ago this was unusual. Mr. Beaven tells of one young boy, who rode in 7 miles on horseback to be prepared for the meeting, bringing with him his available assets, amounting to 10 cents. His worry, that this amount, all he said that he had, would not be sufficient to gain him admittance, was quickly changed, to anything but worry, on learning that he would not only see the programme, but still retain his money.

Amongst the older people, the confirmed believer of a few years ago, in the impossibility of having success with trees, has disappeared. Many still have the problems, of the necessary time, and labour, required to build up belts, as well as, other

drawbacks to contend with, but all are sympathetic, and aware of the many advantages. One man and his wife drove in 12 miles to secure information, at the car, unable to remain for the night, they said that they had found out what they wanted, and that their trip had been well worth while. The open discussion period, at the end of the lecture, has become a popular feature, and many valuable points are expressed by experienced and successful tree planters. Many a number of years in certain districts, who previously have done nothing to beautify or protect their homes, stated their intention of making a start. Two from points widely apart, one on the Soo Branch, the other near Calgary, had been in their districts 25 years, and had made no attempt to build up a permanent home. We have lost a lot of time, they both said, but next year a start will be made.

For a month the car travelled through the southern border of the prairie provinces, and the results were shown, at every stop. Indiscriminate burning to clear land, waste in cutting, and an utter lack of appreciation of this native growth, has so cleared many districts, just a few years ago densely covered by native trees, that the farming people surrounding, having lost their protection, are beginning to suffer from many of the troubles of the southern prairie farmer. Strange as it may sound, over large areas, which when settled was bush country, soil-dirt is becoming a major problem. Most of these people, are now, well aware of their mistake, and are not only doing considerable planting, but allowing, very wisely, trees to again take over many acres of non-agricultural land.

The last three, and even four years, in many districts, has not been kind to the planting of trees. During this time, it has been a most difficult thing to keep many of our older trees alive, and almost impossible to set out new ones, and expect them to grow. But it is under just such conditions, that we have been having that trees can do so much for us. It is not surprising at all, that in these districts, we have lost large numbers of trees, but absolutely amazing, the large numbers which are still alive. As the car travelled between Shumamon and Assiniboia many fine belts were to be seen, in which no loss of life had taken place. The same applies to many town plantings. That trees have come through, under conditions which have made it impossible for the farmer to raise a blade of wheat and wheat is well known for its hardiness, proves that we have trees that can stand the hardest knoves the prairie has to offer. The ones which died out in such large numbers have been the willows, poplar, and maple, quick growing trees, but ones that are unable to withstand our periodic severe conditions. These trees have their place, for quick protection, for fuel, and fence-posts, and planting around low spots, or dug-outs, but have no place in permanency. The ash, elm and the evergreens, and of course cypresses, have come through with flying colours. Not only have they been able to live, but in even the worst drought areas, they have even been able to grow. That we have trees of this type, places tree planting for the future on a very sound basis. The future planter may use them with complete confidence. The future success of tree planting on the prairies is assured.

Long Distance Vision

From an altitude of 21,000 feet, an aerial photograph was made recently which covers 250 miles of territory. The picture was taken from a point 10 miles south of the Golden Gate, and shows both San Francisco and Mount Shasta, which are 250 miles apart, says the Popular Mechanics Magazine. It was made by army air corps photographers who utilized the invisible infra-red light through a special filter.

The temperature at Venus is thought to be about 10 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit, both day and night.

+ Do You Know? +



—Photograph Courtesy, National Railways

THAT in certain sections of rural Quebec in the summer time housewives do their baking in primitive ovens built in the yard or by the road side? The photograph, made near Gaspe in the Lower St. Lawrence district, shows a housewife taking a pan of bread from such an oven.

Didsbury Pioneer.

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Published every Thursday.

Subscription Rates: \$2.00 per year, \$1.00 six months, 50 cents extra to Great Britain and the United States. Payable in advance.

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Changes of advertisements must reach the office not later than noon Tuesday to ensure insertion in the issue of that week.

J. E. Gwyn, Editor & Manager

The Christmas Spirit

There are some things that can be definitely described: we can see and handle them; their construction, methods of operation, possibilities of usefulness, may all be clearly defined. For example: with a little patient study the complicated machinery of the modern automobile can be easily understood. It is not so easy to frame a definition of electricity, yet its laws are simple and one can soon learn how to use and control it. Our machine age may be confusing, its speed, no doubt, bewildering, but it can be analyzed and understood.

However, when we begin to talk about the Christmas spirit, we are dealing with a subtle something, that is not so easily reduced to words. It consists of a buoyancy of step, an exhilaration of spirit, a thrill of well-being, that we have all experienced. There is a Christmas Spirit, we know that it exists because we have felt it and seen it portrayed by others, but to put our finger on the secret of it is more difficult. Is it the decorations, the lights and color, the excitement of preparation that brings the joy?

Quickened interest, no doubt, explains some of the added happiness of the Christmas season, but we believe the real cause to be a changed attitude toward life. During this season we turn our thoughts from the business of getting to that of giving—we at least partially forget ourselves and begin to think of others. Consequently our own cares and sorrows are forgotten in our effort to make others happy. Strange as it seems, by the sacrifice of our time and thought we come to experience a sense of joy. And thus we realize the truth of the principle laid down by Him whose birthday we celebrate: "The man who loses his life in service will discover life's true meaning."—John 12:25.

It has always seemed to us a tragedy that this spirit is not continued throughout the other eleven months of the year. As soon as Christmas is past shall we go back to our old selfish ways of living, and the pleasure of having brought happiness to others be only a fading memory? Why should we be content to limit such enjoyment to but one month of the year? Is it not possible to live the Christ-like way and show forth the Christ-like spirit as well in July as in December? One thing is certain: the Kingdom of Righteousness for which men have longed, down through the centuries, will never be established until we have put into practice the doctrines of the Great Teacher of Galilee—all of which centre in the idea of living in such a way that the lives of others will be enriched as well as our own.

—H. J. W.

King's Greetings Will Be Broadcast

More than 150,000,000 persons on Christmas afternoon will hear the King's Christmas greetings when the British Broadcasting Corporation inaugurates its Empire-wide service from its Daventry station.

Under plans announced Tuesday last, powerful twin short-wave transmitters, each with a carrier output of 50 kilowatts and capable of working on six wave-lengths from 13.9 to 40.6 metres, will serve the world, which has been divided into five Empire zones: Canada, Australia, India, South Africa and West Africa.

The broadcast will commence at 6:55 a.m. Alberta time, and the message from King George will be delivered about 7:45 a.m.

Average Alberta Farmer.

The average farmer of Alberta is 70-per-cent British-born; he farms 170 acres; he owns 7 1-2 horses, 11 pigs and 1-50th of a mule; he values his land and buildings at \$6,803.

This is part of the picture that emerges from the tabulation of census information gathered in 1931. A great mass of new data concerning the rural folk of Alberta is still to be compiled and published by the Dominion bureau of statistics, but enough has already been published to establish a fairly good impression of the individual commonly referred to as "the average Alberta farmer."

There is not, in reality of course, any such person as an average Alberta farmer who accurately reflects all the factors revealed in the census figures, but by striking a rough average of the available statistics, it is possible to form a mental picture of the theoretical individual.

Australia Scores Another.

While in Alberta the Livestock Pool has gone "broke," a Melbourne despatch says Australian packing firms are busier than they have been during the last fourteen years, shipping meat to Great Britain under the new trade agreement.

The agreement made by Great Britain with Australia is not markedly different in respect to meat than the agreement made with Canada. The difference between the trade in Canada and in Australia is not due to the agreements, but to the spread in prices.

When a Canadian steer is shipped to England each pound that is paid for it amounts to \$3.50 in Canadian money, or thereabouts. When Australia ships chilled meat to England each pound paid for it amounts to \$6.00 in Australian money. A difference of \$2.50 in each pound paid for a shipment of cattle or meat amounts to something.

Canada is paying a high price to keep its money tied to the American dollar. Having presented Australia, and the Argentine, with the British wheat market last year, we are now presenting Australia with the British meat market. Our fantastic "sound" money policy comes high.

—Edmonton Bulletin

Here's Wishing You All A

Merry Christmas

and All Best Wishes

for a Prosperous 1933

J. Russell.

Christmas - 1932

To our faithful old friends, our cherished new friends, to those whose friendship we strive to deserve, we extend our heartiest greetings and an expression of goodwill for your prosperity during the coming year.

New Years - 1933

NORTH END LUMBERYARD

Compliments Of The Season!

And with sincerest wishes that the coming year will bring you happiness and prosperity.

It has been a source of pleasure to serve you.

PREMIER MEAT MARKET

To Our Many Customers and Friends we Extend Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas and Health, Happiness and Bountiful Harvests in the New Year

The Alberta-Pacific Grain Company Ltd.

Greetings

To all our friends, old and new, we wish a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a BRIGHT AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Thanking you for your kind patronage during the past year and hoping for a continuance in the near future.

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THE Spirit of Christmas prompts us to express to you our appreciation of that invaluable and intangible GOODWILL, a gift that you have so kindly bestowed on us in the past, and for the continuance of which we look forward to during the coming year.

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A Merry Christmas

And A Prosperous New Year!

...May Our Friendly Business Relations Continue Through the Coming Year.

Atlas Lumber Co., Ltd.

G. A. WALLACE, Mgr.

Phone 125

Christmas!

It affords us great pleasure to express to you our appreciation of your many courtesies, goodwill and loyalty during the past season.

We wish you A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

A. G. STUDER

1932--1933

Christmas Greeting

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Evangelistic in Spirit.

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11:30 a.m. Sabbath School.

7:30 p.m. Evening Worship

Monday Evening, 7:30 p.m.: Senior

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Wednesday Evening, 8 p.m.: Prayer Service.

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. J. Mitchell, Minister

11 a.m.: Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.: Service.

Wednesdays, 8 p.m.: Prayer Service.

The minister will preach Sunday at

Westerdale 2 p.m. and Westcott 11 a.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. R. K. Trowbridge.

1st Sunday, Evening, 7:30 p.m.

3rd Sunday, Morning Service, 11 a.m.

4th Sunday, Evening, 8 p.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. J. J. Kuring, Pastor.

Westcott, 1st Sun. 10:30 a.m.: German

" 2nd " " " English

" 3rd " " " German

" 4th " 2:30 p.m. English

" 5th " 10:30 a.m. German

Didsbury: 1st Sunday, English; 2nd,

3rd and 5th Sundays at 2:30 p.m. 4th

Sunday, 11 a.m.

M.B.C. CHURCH

Rev. V. K. Snyder, Pastor.

Sunday Services:

1:30 p.m.—Sunday School.

2:45 p.m.—Fencing Services.

7:15 p.m.—Preaching Service, in-

cluding Young People's meeting every

alternate Sunday.

Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock.

Prayer Service.

Alberta News Items.**New Health Recommendations.**

The committee of the Alberta legislature nominated to report upon the public health services and state medicine, have about completed their labors. The report to be submitted will contain definite recommendations entirely new in the field of public health. Adoption of these recommendations in their entirety would not be possible at present, it is felt, owing to economic conditions, and the inability of the people to contribute to any co-operative form of health services, but it is believed that the committee is prepared to recommend adoption of at least part of the new plans at the earliest moment that economic recovery makes it possible.

Fur Production.

Fur production in the province for the season ending June 30th, 1932 has been announced by the provincial game branch to total 1,145,784 pelts valued at \$877,331.76, in comparison with the previous year's total of 941,401 pelts at \$1,118,027. The total muskrat pelts taken was \$12,977 valued at \$205,190. Of ermine there were 262,091 pelts valued at \$138,808.23, and of silver ermine black fox, 9,942 pelts valued at \$198,840.

Total Chicago Winnings.

The total prizes won by Alberta seed grain exhibitors at the Chicago international show this year was 68, including 3 world championships, 1 reserve championship, 5 1st prizes and 59 other prizes.

Provincial Seed Fair.

Some of the finest seed grain in the world will be on exhibition in Edmonton during the week of the annual provincial seed fair, January 10th to 13th inclusive. During the same week the annual meeting of the Alberta Seed Growers' Association will be held, together with the annual agricultural short-course at the University. As was the case last year the prizewinners in wheat and oats at Toronto and Chicago will not be allowed to compete with other exhibitors in these classes, but will be placed in a class by themselves, a so-called "professional" class. Special premiums are offered for both wheat and oats in this class by the provincial department of agriculture. Grand champion ribbons will be awarded the best samples of wheat and oats at the fair, all exhibitors in these grains being eligible. Many special prizes are being offered by banks and other firms. Entries close January 2nd.

No Increase in Apple Rates.

Word that the railways will not put into effect higher freight rates on bulk apples from B.C. for another four months, has been received by A. Chard, freight rate supervisor for the Alberta government.

Alberta's Farm Mortgage Debt.

In a bulletin issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics, Alberta is shown as having the lowest farm mortgage debt in the prairie west, on the basis of the 1931 census. Farm mortgages in this province total \$108,465,000, while total value of land and buildings, etc. is placed at \$662,606,000 at a ratio of 16.4 per cent. The ratio in Saskatchewan is given as 17.6. The percentage of the number of farms under mortgage in Alberta to the total number of farms is 35.2.

More Coal Production.

Red Deer Valley coalminers report a record coal production this winter. On Monday of last week 400 cars were reported going out of the Valley for eastern points.

Value of Alberta's Production.

The Dominion bureau of statistics places the value of agricultural production for Alberta in 1932 as \$87,529,000, compared with \$97,259,600 last year.

Chamberlain Says Baldwin Accord Dead

Right Hon. Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, and "strong man" of the British government, has decided that no matter what the United States congress may think of the war debt, the funding agreement concluded by Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, is dead.

WEEKLY JOKE

Cub reporter: "I'd like some advice, sir, on how to run a newspaper."

Editor: "You've come to the wrong person, ask one of my subscribers."

Greetings

Thanking you for your patronage and extending to you the compliments of the season.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

J. SCRUTTON
The Photographer

Christmas

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**New Year**

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TOM MORRIS

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CHRISTMAS

This Yuletide spirit calls us to a better appreciation of old associations and the value of old friendships. May all the pleasures of a Merry Christmas be succeeded by Many Happy Days in the Coming Year.

Didsbury Meat Market

Phone 127 J. Kirby, Manager

Greetings - - -



Christmas, 1932

To all our customers, both old and new, we wish to extend sincere Christmas greetings and best wishes for success in the New Year.

New Years 1933

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Christmas Greetings

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HEART OF THE NORTH

By

WILLIAM BYRON MOWERY

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CHAPTER II.—Continued.

She said, "You know what I want to talk about." She asked pointedly. "When your term is up next month, are you going to re-enlist or not?"

Alan knew that Elizabeth was determined, heart and soul, that she should get out of the Mounted and take a good admired position down in Victoria which Colonel Steele, commander of his regiment in the World War, had been wanting him to accept. But he was loath to take a job on a friendship basis; he preferred to stand on the more self-respecting ground of honest work honestly performed. And to leave this land where he had found freedom and happiness was an intolerable prospect. He loved this northern Mackenzie country as intensely as he hated the heart-stuffing oppression of city life; and his comradeship with men like Bill Hardlock was precious to him.

If he tore himself away from all this, if he became a mere cog in an industrial machine, he would be uprooted and miserably unhappy.

But as things stood, he was in a blind alley. Hardlock was riding him hard for personal reasons; a rank injustice had been done him. . . . There were a dozen powerful arguments on the other side, too.

After a moment he said slowly: "I suppose I ought to sign on again. But it's hard to decide, Elizabeth."

"What is there to decide about? How can you tolerate this situation where you're a subordinate, taking orders; you're liable to be denoted any day; you're compelled to do another man's work for him? You don't think your situation is going to change? You aren't expecting a commission any more now, I hope? Then why under heaven do you want to stay?"

Alan started to answer, but he checked the words. His reasons were deep and intangible things; his friendships, the freedom he'd found here, the sense of being rooted in the country, his ramified duties that held him with invisible bonds, his unwillingness to desert comrades when they sorely needed him, his reluctance to give the impression of having quit just because a commission was not forthcoming.

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Down on the river bank, Bill Hardlock came skimming full-tilt up to the landing, severed the canoe around in a complete circle to stop it, leaped out upon the plank, tossed the painter to a sleepy Loucheux. He did not seem to notice Inspector Haskell only a couple of rods away. At a lops head up the terrace, straight for Alan's cabin, as though Alan was the man to hear his news.

"If you had nothing to turn to," Elizabeth persisted, "it would be a little different. But you've got a position waiting, at four times your present salary, with advancement sure, with a chance to make even more on the side." She broke off. "But what's the use going over and over these arguments? We've gone over them a dozen times. I didn't come for that."

She paused a second to emphasize her next words. "If you intend to stay in the Mounted, I wish you would tell me so frankly, so that I can plan."

It was an ultimatum. She meant it so; Alan understood it so. But she saw too that it had antagonized him a little. Though she must be firm now, she must head off any antagonism.

Dropping her coldness, she got up and stood beside him where he sat on the corner of the table.

"Alan! Don't you realize how intolerable it is for me—not being with you two hours in a whole week? And if we were married, he—Haskell—he'd make it even worse. You know why he's sending you out on these patrols and letting you be here just long enough to manage the post. When you're gone he forces his company on me. If I'd repulse him, he'd—he'd take it out on you! I've got to tell him—"

A slow red crept into Alan's face and his fist clenched. He had wondered, sometimes with nameless suspicions, why she allowed Haskell to be so much in her company. Mrs.



Alan Was Not the Fool to Believe Haskell Was Bluffing.

Drummond and others had hinted about it to him, implying it was very honest of her. Here was the reason! It had never occurred to him that Elizabeth had been permitting it for his sake.

He thought, "I can't blame her for not wanting to live here in the North. Her brother died here; she hasn't any friends; these folks don't understand her. If she wants to live in a city, that's as natural, as much her right, as my wanting to live in this North country. She'd like to have pleasures, clothes, and other things we'll have when I take that Victoria job. Wouldn't any girl want them?"

Bill Hardlock came just the above window, hatless, excited. Elizabeth saw him, and realized her talk with Alan was broken. But she did not greatly care. She had given him her ultimatum, and she had headed off any antagonism; and what she said that Haskell had gulled him as nothing else could have done.

She half-whispered, running her fingers through his hair. "You've been here less than an hour, we've had less than ten minutes together, and now—now something else happens and you'll be gone again." She flared him quickly and turned away.

As Bill Hardlock stamped into the cabin he burst out: "Oh Lord, Alan, Sammy-hell sure popped down river! The Midnight Sun, bringing up a raft of furs from the Hanjaparts country, and gold dust, too, a whole load of it from the Peel and Arctic Red Rivers. . . . Down there, mouth of the Big Alouksa, when she was taking on wood, half a dozen men bounced her

in broad daylight, and robbed her there, right this close to us—"

"Robbed her? Why-ah-ty!"

"That's what they did. They came over the side like as if they were ordinary trappers; they got a clear drop on the crowd, and had the run of the boat for better half an hour!"

Alan looked to the all-important question. "They didn't escape, Bill? They didn't get by with a trick like that?"

Scarcely hearing him, Bill kept pouring out his news. "They took more'n three hundred pounds of dust, and sorted out half a dozen packs of the best and lightest furs, Alan, they shot and killed Jimmy Montgomery! He was the only one that drew a gun against 'em, and a rifle got him cold."

Alan's face went pale. The news of the robbery had been doing enough to him; but now, this crashing shock of Jimmy's death. . . . His lips fastened silently, "They killed Jimmy. . . . A rifle bullet. . . . He was the only one who drew a gun—!" But he could not speak; he could only stare at Bill.

"And if Father Claverly hadn't stepped in and helped stop a rush, Alan, they'd have shot up the whole deck. They slung the dust and furs into their canoes, and. . . Did they get away? What brought me busting up the river? I hope they did—clean, slicker'n a whistle!"

In the pause then, Alan fought to shake off his daze. He had to make the plans, fling out a patrol, get into action. It was all in his hands—the pursuit, the capture, the whole heavy responsibility.

He demanded: "Who were they? Trappers, did you say?"

"Don't know who, Alan. But strangers. Five whites and one 'breed'."

"Strangers? Can't be! Not in this country!"

"But that's what they were. Nobody on the boat had ever seen a single one of 'em."

Alan did not believe this, but for the moment he passed it up. "Which way did they go? Have motors on their canoes?"

"No. Paddle craft. They whipped up the Big Alouksa."

For a little space Alan stood thinking. Why had these bandits staged their robbery there at the mouth of the Alouksa, instead of farther down north, at some lonely reach along the Mackenzie? In an instant he saw the answer to that question. They had chosen with an eye to a quick escape, an escape to the best hiding place in all Mackenzie territory.

As he imagined them whipping up the Big Alouksa, whipping up that lonely spruce-buried river past MacMillan's trading post, his thoughts leaped to Joyce, and a fear came into his eyes.

Echoing this very fear, Bill said: "They'll have to pass MacMillan's place, Alan. Ten chances to one, Dave's gone out somewhere after spring poultry and Joyce is there all by herself. . . ."

"But maybe they won't stop," Alan argued. His words were more a prayer, or hope. "They'll probably try to sneak past. . . . He broke off. "Bill, go down to barracks, and Ped, tell him to get the launch in shape to travel. While you're doing that, I'll go tell Haskell."

Halfway down the slope Alan came up with Constable Larry Young, who was spreading Haskell's bed clothing on the grassy terrace to sun.

An older man, past forty, a native of this Waterways country, Larry had spent his boyhood years living with Crees and Chipewyans; and by easy odds he was the best bush detective in the whole division. But in matters of discipline he was worse than Bill Hardlock, for he was older, more set in his ways, more resentful of per-

sonal affront. Months ago Haskell had busted him from a corporal, and by humiliating him with orderly duties, he had been trying to make Larry knuckle under. Waiting for another month's pay so he could buy out of the Mounted, Larry was going about his "squareswork" with stoical face, chalking up his personal score against the day when he would be out of service and could settle with Haskell in man-to-man fashion.

Alan bade him: "Larry, drop that. Go and help Bill out. He'll tell you what's up."

It was rare that Inspector Haskell allowed his temper to get the upper hand. He had learned self-control in the hard army school, and he considered that any exhibition of temper was a plebeian thing. But when Alan Baker came into the cabin, Haskell was thoroughly and hotly angered.

A dozen things had happened this morning to irritate him. Constable Whipple, his stool pigeon, a thin clerkish recruit who had brought along to Endurance had repeated several infuriating jokes about him which the men were tossing back and forth in barracks. A few minutes ago Bill Hardlock, plainly carrying important news, had brushed past him as though he had not existed, and had taken the news straight to Alan Baker. And just now through the open door he had seen Baker order Larry Young to drop work assigned by a superior officer and do something else.

(To Be Continued.)

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is especially recommended for sprain, or infection of cow's teat. Invaluable also in cases of sprains, cuts and splints.

New Disqualification
A new disqualification for auto drivers has just been recorded by Noremsbury court in Jutland, according to a despatch from Copenhagen. A veterinary surgeon was fined 30 kroner equivalent to nearly \$16, for driving an automobile while in "a state of giddiness" caused by excessive smoking.

Ramie is seen as a rival of rayon by chemists of the Louisiana State University.

In Norse mythology, Enbla was the name of the first woman created.

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Little Helps For This Week

"And the Lord shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought."—Isaiah 58:11.

Wherever He may guide me, No want will turn me back; My Shepherd is beside me, And nothing can I lack. His wisdom over waketh, His sight is never dim— He knows the way He taketh, And I will walk with Him.

—A. L. Waring.

Abandon yourself to His care and guidance, as a sheep in the care of a shepherd, and trust him entirely. No matter though you may seem to yourself to be in the midst of a desert with nothing green about you, and may think you will have to make a long journey before you can get into the green pastures. Our Shepherd will turn that very place where you are into green pastures, for He has power to make the desert rejoice and blossom as the rose. —H. W. S.

A For To Asthma. Give Asthma half a chance and it gains ground rapidly. But give it repeated treatments of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and it will fall back even faster. There is no half way measure about this remedy. It goes right to work and drives asthma out. It reaches the most breathless passages and leaves no place for the trouble to lurk. Have it by you for ready use.

Violin Made Of Matches.

Bruno Collier and Karl Burmann, unemployed German youths, are starting a tour to South Africa and return with a violin made out of 2,000 matches. They are giving concerts on the instrument, and are living on the proceeds. The violin is said to have as good a tone as many expensive instruments.



GREETINGS

In appreciation of your Goodwill,
The Season's Greetings, and to
wish you a Prosperous, Happy
1933

W. J. HILLYARD

Harness and Saddlery
Mens' Wear

Boots & Shoes
Sporting Goods

Christmas 1932

In appreciation of your goodwill,
the Season's Greetings and our
sincere wishes that the Coming
Year will bring you Happiness
and Prosperity. It has been a
source of great pleasure to serve
you.

Crystal Dairy Limited

Christmas!

TO ALL Our Customers we convey the
Season's Greetings: A Merry Xmas
and the Best of Best Wishes for

1933

Highway Service Station

F. Reiffenstein, Proprietor

LOCAL & GENERAL

Only 3 more shopping days to
Xmas.

Mrs. Ivan Weber visited friends
in Calgary.

Christian Scientists would be glad
to meet other students. Please com-
municate with Box 283. (1p)

Special dance in the Opera House
Monday, December 26th. Bellany
Orchestra. Everyone 30c. Also
New Years dance January 2nd with
Inniskill orchestra.

The pastor will preach the Christ-
mas sermon at the Zion Evangelical
Church on Sunday morning.
In the evening the Sunday School will
present a special Christmas program.

The Christmas service will be held
in Knox United Church on Sunday,
December 25th at 7.30 p.m. The
subject of the sermon will be, "The
search of the Wise Men."

A Christmas communion service
will be held at the Church of Saint
Cyprian on Christmas Eve (Saturday)
at 11.45 p.m. This will be the
Rev. R. K. Trowbridge's last service
in Eidsbury.

J. Scrutton is announcing new
special Xmas photo mounts, \$2.50 a
dozen and up. See his new Xmas
greeting cards from your own snaps.
Three large photos 7x9 for \$3.00.
Family groups a specialty.

The Zella Christian Young People
will hold a special Christmas service
Sunday evening at 7.30. Mr. D. vis-
iting gives a description of the birthplace
of Christ, while Mrs. Carver has a
Christmas message for all. There
will also be special Christmas songs.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends
and neighbors for their kindness
and sympathy shown during our
recent sad bereavement, also for the
floral tributes.

Wm. Pear and Family.

LOST

LOST—A Buffalo Robe, east of
town. Finder please return to the
Pioneer Office or phone R707. (1p)

Eidsbury Beats Carstairs 5-2

Eidsbury got the best of the Car-
stairs boys at hockey Tuesday night,
and for the first game of the season
it was a good exhibition.

George Geiger was the first to find
the net, scoring after 17 minutes. A
minute later and he scored again on
a rebound from Berscht's shot.

In the second period Eidsbury
made the lead 5-0 before Carstairs
got going. The visitors tightened
up and before the end of the period
they got the puck into the net twice.

Both teams went to it strong in
the final period, but neither team
was able to score, the game ending
with the score 5-2 in Eidsbury's
favor.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen—Large
Dark Bay Gelding. Branded with
reversed R (H) on left hip. Reward
given for information:

A. LeCLAIRE,
Phone R1605

Melvin Notes

Don't forget the Go-Getters dance
at Melvin school, Friday, Dec. 30.

Mrs. Good, of Garfield is spending
a few days with her sister, Mrs.
Peter Johnston.

Miss Ethel Krebs is spending a
few days with Miss Dorothy Young
at Ennisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson and Gladys
were visitors in the southern city on
Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reimer were
Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs.
August Krebs.

The Melvin school's Christmas
entertainment Monday night proved
to be quite a successful affair, and
was very much enjoyed by all those
present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Krebs and Mr.
and Mrs. P. Johnston, accompanied
by Miss Ruth Johnston, drove to
Three Hills on Friday, where they
visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vet-
ter, Miss Ruth Johnston leaving later
for Drumheller, where she is now
nursing.

Burnside Notes.

Miss Winnie Sprague has been re-
lieving Miss Alice Miller at the
Hospital for a day or two this week.

Mr. Sam McAllister was a visitor
on Sunday with Mr. Noah Eckel.

Mrs. John Sick spent Sunday
afternoon with Mrs. Joe Clark.

Mr. Albert Sprague and Winnie
enjoyed a turkey dinner with Mrs.
Agnes Patterson and family Sunday.

Jutland Notes.

Don't forget the Jutland Xmas
Free in Lone Pine Hall, Dec. 22nd.

Miss Ruby Thomas spent the
week-end with Miss Jessie Topley.

Miss Tenn McLean left Saturday
for her new position at the Ponoka
Hospital.

Mrs. C. R. Liesemer is recovering
nicely from a week's attack of the
flu.

Misses Sadie and Gertie McLean
were Saturday afternoon visitors at
the Press home.

Messrs. Albert Wall and William
Kellogg were visitors in the district
this week.

Mr. Nelson McLean and Mr. A. E.
Thompson motored to Calgary on
Saturday.

Cream Prices.

BUTTERFAT

Table cream	20c
Special	18c
No. 1	16c
No. 2	14c

DR. R. E. BUSWELL

Announces his association with
Dr. J. M. ADAMS.

Dr. Buswell has just returned
after a two-year post graduate
course in Vienna, Budapest,
Debrecen, and London, England
where he devoted his time to
the specialty of
EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT

507-508, Southam Building, Calgary.
Phone M3391.

Last Call For XMAS

WOMEN'S

Silk Pajamas

One, two, or three-piece
styles, **\$1.45-\$4.95**

"TEXTELLA"

Crepe Dresses
\$6.95

Men's Suits

all new models **\$16.95**
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and Look Around
---It's FREE!*

**Here's Wishing
Our Many Friends
A Very Merry Xmas
and A Happy
and Prosperous 1933**

Meet Me At

RANTON'S

Eidsbury's Christmas Store

Christmas

... May this season
bring to you much
gladness, and may
the Coming Year of
1933 greet you with
an abundance of
health, wealth, and
happiness.

New Years

X L MOTORS

Christmas - 1932

In appreciation of your
highly-valued goodwill:
the Season's Greetings,
and to wish you all a
Prosperous and Happy
New Year.

New Years - 1933

HENRY GOEHRING
International Agency

NOTICE

Change in Price of Empty Bottles

On and after January 1st, 1933, undamaged pint
bottles will be redeemable at **20** cents a dozen in-
stead of **30** cents a dozen.

New Price of Alberta Beers

\$3.70 Pints **\$1.85** Pints
Per Case Per Dozen

All bottles purchased prior to December 31st will
be redeemed at present price of 30 cents a dozen
provided they are returned to our warehouse before
January 15th, 1933.

No change in quarts, full or empty.

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